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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

STEFFON BARBER,

Plaintiff,

vs.

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO, et
al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 5:22-cv-00625-KK-DTB

Assigned to:
District Judge Kenly Kiya Kato
Magistrate Judge David T. Bristow

**JOINT STATUS REPORT RE:
SETTLEMENT**

TO THE HONORABLE COURT:

COME NOW Plaintiff, Steffon Barber, and Defendants, County of San Bernardino and Deputy Christopher Alfred, and hereby notify this Court of the Parties' settlement efforts in the above-referenced matter.

On December 9, 2025, the Parties engaged in a mediation session with Richard Copeland. Unfortunately, despite the Parties' efforts, the Parties were unable to resolve the case. The Parties believe that future settlement discussions may be possible after the Parties receive a ruling on Defendants' pending Motion for Summary Judgment.

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